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In Re Application of: FUCHS et al.

Art Unit: 1649

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For. RECOMBINANT FRAGMENTS OF THE HUMAN ACETYLCHOLINE...

Atty.'s Docket: FUCHS=2A

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Date: August 21, 2006

Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office **Customer Service Window** Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment 401 Dulany Street

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a [XX] Amendment []

in the above-identified application.

[XX] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)			(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS		
TOTAL	* 18	MINUS	** 22	0		
INDEP.	• 3	MINUS	*** 3	0		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						

	SMALL ENTITY			
		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	x	25	\$	
	x	100	\$	
	+	180	\$	
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL		\$		

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE \$ 360 \$ TOTAL

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Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

	Small Entity Response Filed Within		Other Than Small Entity	
			Response Filed Within	
	[XX] First -	- \$ 60.00	[] First - \$ 120.00	
	[] Second	- \$ 225.00	[] Second - \$ 450.00	
	[] Third	- \$ 510.00	[] Third - \$ 1020.00	
	[] Fourth	- \$ 795.00	[] Fourth - \$ 1590.00	
	Month After Time Pe	eriod Set	Month After Time Period Set	
[]Less fees (\$) already paid for month(s) extension of time on with the Notice of				
[]) Please charge my De	eposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$_60.00.		

[XX] Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$_.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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